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AMENDMENT AND RESPONSE

Commissioner for Patents P.O. Box 1450 Alexandria, VA 22313-1450

Sir:

This communication is responsive to the Office Action dated 12/18/2003. Please amend the above-identified application as follows:

Amendments to the claims are reflected in the listing of claims which begins on page two (2) of this paper.

Remarks/Arguments begin on page four (4) of this paper.